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**A MILLION DUST.**

**Great Conflagration Rages in Indianapolis.**

MUCH EXCITING IN THE CITY.

Several Big Wholesale Houses Burned Out—The Loss Estimated at \$1,000,-000—the Union Depot in Danger.

A BIG BLAZE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 13, 3 a. m.—A fire broke out at 1 o'clock in the cellar at rear of Erwin & Co.'s dry-goods house, the wholesale district of the city. Alarms were rapidly sent out and a large portion of the fire department was called out, but all this hour it seemed unable to cope with the flames. The fire now seems to be under control.

A stiff southeast wind carried the flames from Erwin & Co.'s four-story building to George W. Stout & Co.'s four-story wholesale grocery building on the north, and there they were consumed. From Stout & Co.'s flames leaped across the street and communicated with the three-story buildings opposite. From Erwin & Co.'s the fire spread south and burned up unoccupied factory building which had just been built by Pearson & Wetzel.

The loss will aggregate not less than \$1,000,000. The following wholesale firms were burned out: Erwin & Co., dry goods; George W. Stout & Co., groceries; Pearson & Wetzel, queensware; McKee & Brannan, boots and shoes; Kanner & Sullivan, hardware; B. Cato & Son, overalls.

The new union passenger station is in some danger, but it is believed the flames will be checked before reaching it. All the stores burned out carried heavy stocks. As so on both buildings and stocks seem to have lost almost total and the salvage will be small. The insurance is supposed to be satisfactory, but no figures can be obtained to-day.

Most intense excitement prevails throughout the city, and thousands of men and women are crowding around the square. A fireman was injured by a falling wall of brick, so far as the square street.

The fire has reached Georgia street on the west side and destroyed the quarter-square on the west side of Meridian street, and, with one exception of one building, the quarters in the city, carrying the bulk of the store stock, are threatened by the intensity of the hour and the confusion incident it is impossible to ascertain the individual losses.

The stock of Byrum & Cornelius, wholesale dry goods, is damaged by smoke and water, and their building slightly by fire. James Dessar, wholesale clothier, has suffered heavily from smoke and water.

The arms affected are among the best in the city, carrying the largest stocks in their respective lines. They are all located within a block of the Union depot.

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**COMMERCIAL NEWS.**

**CHICAGO MARKET**

Reported for the Gazette by Bump & Griggs Grain and Produce Dealers.

JANUARY 13, Jan. 11, 1898.

Receipts of grain continue light, which is owing to the cold weather. There is a good demand for all kinds of grain at the following prices:

GROUND FLOUR—Patent \$1.25 per sack; Vienna \$1.10  
WHEAT—Winter \$2.25; spring \$2.75.  
BARLEY—Good to choice, old, \$2.60 to \$2.75; new, according to quality.  
BUCKWHEAT—at \$2.50 cask.  
COHN—New car 75 lbs at \$2.50.  
RICE—Timothy for ton \$13.45, other kinds \$14.12. Baled hay \$12.00 to \$15.00 per ton.  
GROUND FEED—\$1.00 per 100 lbs.  
EGGS—\$8.00 to \$12.00 per dozen.  
TIMOTHY SEED—\$2.50 to \$2.75 per bushel.  
PEAS—Turkeys \$2.50; chickens \$2.60.  
LIVESTOCK—Hogs \$1.00 to \$1.25 per pound.  
PORK—Green \$2.75; Dry \$2.00 to \$2.25 each.  
WOLF—Washed \$4.00; unwashed \$3.25 to \$3.50.  
OATS—New, white, \$2.00 to \$2.25; for mixed new \$1.75 to \$1.90.  
MEAL—\$1.00 to \$1.25. Bolted \$1.50 to \$1.75.  
GRAIN—New \$1.00 to \$1.25 per bushel.  
LIVESTOCK—Hogs \$1.00 to \$1.25 per pound.  
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